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Juniors Miranda Hines and Tiffani Barklow count fertilized eggs Wednesday, Nov. 7.

# STEP breeds knowledge

BY SARAH HAASE The Umpqua Post

REEDSPORT - The circle of life is evident through the volunteer work done by members of the local Salmon Trout Enhancement Program.

For the last few weeks, STEP members have worked with employees from the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife, spawning hundreds of thousands of salmon eggs. On Nov. 7, students from the Reedsport Community Charter School were on hand to help catch, cut and count during the multi-step process.

The salmon used for breeding have already traveled up Winchester Creek, the end of the road for the fish, said Laura Jackson, a fish biologist with ODFW. Wild and hatchery male and female salmon are collected from a pen. They are soaked in a basin with a sedative, then harvested for their eggs or sperm.

"Winchester Creek is really a dead end of sorts," Jackson said. "If they've made it this far, they've passed all the anglers and there really isn't a good breeding ground for the fish up this far. It gives us a good place to get our breeding fish."

Helena Verduyn, a biologist with ODFW said getting a vari-



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Front to back, Helena Verduyn from ODFW, STEP volunteers Jim Edd and Bill Taylor and RCCS students Brandon Gannon and Garrett Kaufmann stand in the salmon pen. Bottom Left: Bill Taylor, left, helps RCCS students Andrew Wall and Gannon as they net salmon for breeding. Bottom center: Laura Jackson, ODFW fish biologist squeezes salmon seminal fluid into a bucket with salmon eggs. Bottom right: Jackson divides a bucket of fertilized salmon eggs into four separate buckets.

ety of wild and hatchery fish enhance the breeding chances.

"It enables us to get a good mix of genetics, so that the new salmon that are hatched have a better chance of survival," Verduyn said.

The group's target number is 200,000 fertilized eggs. To get this amount, the eggs of close to a dozen female fish must be used. On Nov. 7, the eggs of five females were harvested. Eight males were used for fertiliza-

"We want to produce 100,000 that we release in Winchester Bay and then send another 80,000 or so to the Rock Creek Hatchery because they have a habitat where they're able to hold the fish over the summer," Jackson said.

Chris Teeter, one of the RCCS marine biology students helping with the process, was in charge of slicing the females. With a blade, he cut the underbelly of the female salmon, releasing a cascade of orangey colored eggs.

"They cut real easy, like butter," he said.

After the waterfall of eggs, Jackson searched the fish for any leftover eggs, being careful not to mix any blood or other

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# Spaghetti serves up smiles for needy in Reedsport

Volunteers for Christmas in July dish out piles of spaghetti and meat sauce during the annual fundraiser.

By Sarah Haase

The Umpqua Post



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REEDSPORT - Spaghetti was a clear sign of success during the annual fundraiser for Christmas in July.

More than 100 people came through the doors of the Eagles Club on Thursday night to enjoy some quality food, good friends and some fun entertainment. The event is the nonprofit organization's biggest fundraiser, and this year, the spaghetti feed netted more than \$2,000.

"It looks like people are having a lot of fun and that's important," said Sharon Thompson co-chair of Christmas in July. "We've had a very steady turnout. People have been coming through the doors and buying raffle tickets and it looks like they've been spending lots of money."

Diners enjoyed a full plate of spaghetti and meat sauce, salad and garlic bread. More than 40 pounds of pasta was prepared and Eagles member Chuck Stubblefield erred on the side of caution when he sent someone out on a pasta run.

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# Afghan war claims life of local

Reedsport mayor remembers Nehl as 'focused young man'

BY JESSIE HIGGINS The Umpqua Post

GHAZNI PROVINCE, Afghanistan – A Gardiner man and captain in the U.S. Army's infantry died Friday while on patrol in

Afghanistan. James D. Nehl, 37, was killed by small arms fire in Ghazni Province during combat operations, according to the Defense Department.



U.S. Army

Nehl graduated from Reedsport High School in

"He definitely knew what he wanted to do," said Nehl's former teacher Jim Wells. "He wanted to be an airborne ranger."

Nehl played football, swam and

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# Reedsport rejects New **Majority** candidates

BY SARAH HAASE The Umqua Post

REEDSPORT - Incumbent Keith Tymchuk will take his seat as mayor for a sixth term and will be joined, in January, by Frank Barth, Dee Dee Murphy

and Linda McCollum. Tymchuk

defeated opponent

Merv Cloe who ran on a slate with Barth and two other candidates as the New Majority, a group who spearheaded a charter amendment aimed at rolling back wastewater rates and all other fee and tax increases. The measure was partially upheld in **Douglas County** 

Circuit Court.



Barth is the only candidate from the New Majority group who was elected. He defeated Ed O'Carroll, 812 to 658. Although Barth ran with the New Majority, he said when he takes **Dee Dee Murphy** his seat as coun-City councilor cilor he will be there as an individual working for



"I really feel this is a duty I need to give back to the community I love," he said. "I'm pretty excit-**Linda McCollum** ed, but I'm also City councilor really scared. I

hope that people will see that I'm going down to City Hall with an

open mind. I want to refresh the livability in Reedsport." Tymchuk said he was honored

and humbled by his re-election. "Personally, I'm pleased for the

city of Reedsport, I think this is an outcome that was needed," he said.

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# Police confirm 2 people, 1 dog dead in wreck

BY TYLER RICHARDSON The Umpqua Post

HAUSER - Oregon State Police confirmed Wednesday that two people and a dog were killed when their pickup caught fire after colliding with a tree on U.S. Highway 101 late Tuesday night.

John W. Suiter, 32, and Andrea Belcher, 23, both of Lakeside, were pronounced dead at the scene.

The 1993 Ford Ranger truck, driven by Suiter, was heading northbound near milepost 227.5 at 11:20 p.m. when it crossed over the center line and went off the road into a ditch before striking a tree and catching

Sgt. Josh Young, with OSP, said he couldn't identify any tire tracks on the road, indicating the driver did not brake before heading off the road.

OSP Sgt. Eric Judah said the cause of the crash is still unknown. Investigators will release more information once they conclude their investigation.

Firefighters from Hauser and Lakeside sprayed water onto the truck hours after the crash, and police searched for evidence around the crash scene.



Lakeside firefighters wait with a hose after extinguishing a vehicle fire on U.S. Highway 101 near Hauser on Nov. 6. The fire resulted after a pickup crashed. Two people and one dog were killed in the wreck.

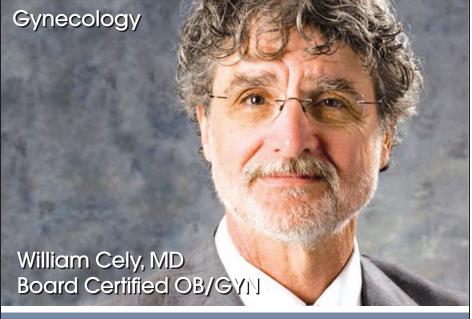
A Coos County medical examiner identified the remains inside the truck as human. Young urged anyone who witnessed the crash to

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# Reedsport library will close for renovations in December

REEDSPORT - The Reedsport Branch Library System. Library will temporarily close for renovation starting 4 p.m., Friday, Nov. 30. The library will resume normal operating hours and reopen at noon, Thursday, Dec. 27.

During the closure, patrons are invited to visit any branch library of the Douglas County Library System. The outside book return will be closed and unavailable during the remodel, so materials may be returned to any other location of the Douglas County

Patrons may also access the library catalog and databases, use Library2Go, get answers to reference questions, renew items or place holds on items, and find library locations through the library website, http://dclibrary.us.

This project has been made possible through grants, local donations and fundraisers.



#### Wine Walkers & Merchants!

173 wine walkers showed their support at the Nov. 2nd event supporting the SHAMA, Habitat for Humanity and the Star of Hope. See you December 7th!

Special Thanks to Benettis! Everyone enjoys a clean glass!





CHECK US OUT ON FACEBOOK! facebook.com/CoosBayWineWalk

A special Thank You to the Medical Professionals in our community for all you do!

Lower Umpqua Hospital would like to celebrate National Rural Health Day on November 15th by saying

**Thank You** 

to all medical professionals!

SMART volunteer ASPIRE career counselor School volunteer Red Cross Disaster Team

Speaker at Better Breathers

Team Physician for school sports

Lower Umpqua United Fund Board Rural Health Coordinating Committee Area Trauma Advisory Board Member "Doctor House Calls" Radio Show 5th Grade Talk With Me

Playing bass guitar for the school Melody Makers Providing sports physicals & donating all proceeds to athletic programs Statewide Immunization Practices Advisory Team

Statewide Patient Centered Primary Care Medical Home Advisory Board Member Speaker at TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly)

Thank You!

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# The art of taking a class

REEDSPORT — Coastal Douglas Arts and Business Alliance is wrapping up its fall art academy classes. Last weekend, two classes, Come Play With Clay and beginning watercolor were taught by Bill and Mikayle Karcher and Jim Thompson and Beebe Slater.

The last two classes are

this weekend, Packaging Art for Shipping at 5:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 16 and decorative holiday wreath making at 11 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 17. Classes are \$5 and \$10

respectively.
For more information or to register, contact Tamara Szalewski at Mindpower Gallery 541-271-2485.



Beebee Slater, above, teaches a beginners class to watercolor painting on Saturday, Nov. 10 at the Presbyterian Church.





Contributed Photos

Students from the Come Play with Clay class work on pottery wheels during one of CDABA's art academy classes. CDABA holds art classes to allow people to sample the different art avenues.



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# A community treasure

Reedsport Christmas in July is one of the greatest community service projects I've seen in a long time.

This summer, I got to report on and participate in the event. The good things that were accomplished in a day, were truly incredible. Endless amounts of gardening, repaired roofs, chopped wood piles, wheel chair ramps...

So many volunteers were working together to help those who could use a hand, physically or monetarily.

The summer event couldn't happen with out fundraising throughout the year and from an editor's point of view, a spaghetti dinner fundraiser is Christmas. It's an event that provides a heart warming story and some potentially entertaining photos.

I have to admit, I went with the intention of getting just that, saying some hellos and then heading to The Body

Thank you for a great Fall Gala!

All those involved in the CDABA Fall Gala fundraising event wish to say many thanks to those throughout the community who sponsored, donated, volunteered, and supported the gala. We owe a public thank you to people and businesses. Please read the list and help us recognize this group for supporting our community by helping make these events possible. We have attempted to be diligent in our record keeping, but we apologize if a name has been omitted. There were so many who helped make this event a huge

Sponsors and donors: Les Schwab, Southern Oregon Sanitation, Fullhart Insurance, Reedsport Pharmacy, Ferenczi, Inc., Waves Hair Salon, Attorney Stephen H. Miller, Take the Time Massage, Coastal Properties, Accountant Chris Vaughn, Osborn Veterinary Clinic, Deb Docken-State Farm, Stockade Market, Mast Brothers, Dr. Michael DuVal, Time and Tide Dance Co., Umpqua Building and Hardware, Lower Umpqua Hospital, Salmon Harbor Marina, Discovery Point RV, The Little Mint, Ace Hardware, Salmon Harbor Inn, Forest Hills Country Club, Judy Miller, Umpqua Industrial, Dairy Queen, Ocean Garden, Signs Unlimited, Manthe's Furniture, King Neptune, NAPA, Tsunami Soap Co., Winchester Bay Market, Fullhart Insurance, Laskey Clifton, Fred Wahl Marine, Mindpower Gallery, Crabby Cafe, Chocolate Shell, Scotty Lewis, Schooner Café, Price 'n Pride, Umpqua Bank, Heidi's Grind, Susi's Annex, Bank of America, A Thousand Cups, Kitty's

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Tom Thompson and Tsunami Gallery.

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Dessert bakers: Leona Hausmann, Jessica Shields, Eilene

**SLICES FROM THE** BIG APPLE



Sarah Haase, EDITOR

Shop, the new gym in town, for a nightly work-

I should have known just by the delicious smells wafting outside the Eagles Lodge it was going to be more than

I resisted buying a dinner ticket. I had a job to do. I interviewed the cooks, some volunteers and some diners. I took some photos and then thought I was wrapping up the evening by talking with Sharon Thompson, co-chairwoman of Christmas in July along with Pastor Allen Chanev.

She asked me if I was staying for the Chinese auction. I had never heard of a Chinese auction and after she explained it to me briefly

(bidders raise dollar bills in the air, runners grab them and the donor of the last dollar bill grabbed wins the prize) I decided I had to check it

To kill some time, I caved in and bought a dinner ticket along with some raffle tickets

Honestly, I'm not the biggest spaghetti fan, but the meal prepared (and donated) by the Eagles was pretty darn fantastic. I ate nearly my whole plate of pasta.

Soon, Carey Jones, auctioneer aficionado, was getting ready to start the Chinese auction.

He asked for some volunteers to be runners. Since I was in gym attire, I figured, why not?

Soon I was getting my

workout. I was dashing around the lodge snatching dollar bills from the hands of donors, making every attempt to be the runner who grabbed the forward to fight for our freelast bill.

I had a few people who won some loot.

Carey was enough to give us time to catch our breath-in month, and we between Chinese auction remember. items, he chose some raffle ticket winners.

One of my tickets was chosen. I was the winner of a cute little basket filled with a washcloth and bar of Pacific peppermint soap made by Tsunami the Company.

Was it luck or a secret message? I'm still not too and links past and future sure.

In the end, the spaghetti dinner raised more than \$2,000 for Christmas in July.

Equally important, though, is that everyone answer the call of duty. It's a truly enjoyed themselves during the event. I know I sure did.

### Reflections on Veterans Day

THE COUNTY

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Commissioner

The following are my comments to the Veterans Day Celebration in Canyonville on Sunday, Nov. 11, 2012:

Great pride and great humility move me today, as we gather to honor the brave men and women who step dom and liberty.

As we have done since WWI ended 94 year ago, all across this nation

Americans pause at the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th

We remember with pride, and respect, and gratitude those who served, and those who made the greatest sacrifice so that we can stand today, as free people in a great country.

We gather today at a war Soap memorial that symbolizes a strong link in an enduring chain. That trusted chain reaches across our nation generations of Americans who have, and who will, shoulder the burden of defending our freedom.

> This is also a day to salute the strength and sacrifice of the families that stay behind when their loved ones potent mixture of love, and pride, and fear that fills the hearts of these families. Those are feelings that stay

with you forever. I salute your strength and your resolve; I salute the legacy of courage and steadfastness that your example sets for all our children.

This is also a day to recognize our enduring love of America and the value we place on military service this is so much a part of who we are in Douglas County. We don't apologize for our

patriotism. We're not shy about the tremendous respect we have for those who serve.

We rejoice, and celebrate, and appreciate, and respect the values of our nation. We admire, and respect. Susan Morgan and thank those who Douglas County defend us. So, at this moment, at the 11th hour, of the 11th

day, of the 11th month let us pause. (Right then, two F-16 fighter jets flying tight formation streaked across the sky!)

Let us open our hearts to our Veterans, to those who are defending our freedoms today, and to our never ending commitment to our great nation.

May God bless our veterans and their families, and may God continue to bless America.

Susan always welcomes your questions or comments. Please contact her by email at morgan@co.douglas.or.us; by mail at Douglas County Courthouse, Room 217, 1036 SE Douglas, Roseburg, 97470; or by phone at

#### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

# NOVEMBER 7TH ...







Thank you the emcee, Joe Zelinski, to the numerous volunteers who planned and created the event, and to all the community volunteers who helped decorate, set up tables

and clean-up. CDABA appreciates the community's support, all the partnerships described above, and all the volunteer efforts

that make the gala come together. See you next year. Calendar the date - Saturday, Oct. 26,

and start planning your costumes. Kathleen Miller, Bill Karcher, Tamara Szalewski, Theresa Chickering, Tara Szalewski, Sue Martino, Joe Coyne CDABA Board Reedsport

It is baffling that the mayor could lead this effort and still seek your vote in his re-election. More baffling is the

fact that voters provided him a very ample vote. Comparing this vote with the number that voted for the measure, one can conclude that many wearied from support of the measure and did not even vote.

cials used public funds and an outside legal team to fight the

Have they abandoned citizenship in favor of becoming

Measure 10-119 made Reedsport the envy of many. Universally it is agreed that the people should have a say over obligating their resources. Will Reedsport retain it? Since it only may be removed by a vote of the people, our trust must be in the people to protect the Charter addition the voters have established with almost a super majority for the measure.

Mery Cloe Reedsport

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Preaching hate with the likes of Rush Limbaugh will begin to fade away. Real passionate patriot Americans have spoken once

Black and brown is beautiful with passion to spare.

Racism and corporate greed is evilness in the extreme.

again. My heart is full.

Ron Gallagher Reedsport

Thank you for the chance to serve To the people of Reedsport, I would like to thank you for the opportunity to serve as a member of your city council. As I fill this position, I sincerely encourage your involve-

ment in the process to always work in an attempt to improve

the livability of our declining city. I promise to do the best job for you possible. To help make Reedsport a better community for all of us and for any that may consider making our community their home.

Frank Barth Reedsport

#### Measure 10-119, misunderstanding?

Proponents of Measure 10-119 had one simple goal. It was to include the people in the decision of spending their resources. Nothing in the simple measure prevented elected officials from continuing payment of contracted obligations to the state of Oregon.

For some reason Mayor Tymchuk refused to involve you in the decision of funding the replacement of the Reedsport sewage treatment facilities. Was this because you lacked understanding of what needed to happen? Some might conclude that, but it was because he simply did not trust the people for this decision.

This is further demonstrated in the fact that there was no attempt to seek the amending or modification of Measure 10-119 by going to the people. Instead elected offi-

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#### LOCAL

#### Oct.-Nov. 2012 Community Calendar

#### 14 Wednesday

- Lower Umpqua Economic Development Forum Board — 7 a.m., Aztlan Restaurant, 1281 U.S. 101, Reedsport; regular meeting.
- Oregon Oldtime Fiddlers, District 5 1-3 p.m., Winchester Bay Community Center, 635 Braodway Ave. The featured musician is Bob Shaffar of Bandon. An acoustic circle jam will follow from 3-4
- Port of Umpqua 7 p.m., Port Annex Building, 1841 Winchester Ave., Reedsport; regular meeting.

#### 15 Thursday

- Flu shot clinic 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., ORCCA's Child and Family Resource Center, 1855 Thomas Ave., Coos Bay. Free.
- Douglas County Planning Commission 3:30 p.m., Room 103, courthouse, 1036 S.E. Douglas Ave.; workshop.
- Gardiner Reedsport Lions Club 6:30 p.m., Bedrock's Pizzeria, 2165 Winchester Ave.
- Umpqua Soil & Water Conservation District —6:30 p.m., district office, 1877 Winchester Ave., Reedsport; monthly business meeting.

#### **19** Monday

■ Reedsport Planning Commission — 7 p.m., council chambers, city hall, 451 Winchester Ave.; regular meeting.

#### **20** Tuesday

- Craft & Bake Sale 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Lower Umpqua Hospital Conference Room, 600 Ranch
- Hospice volunteer training 1-3:30 p.m., Family Resource Center, 5 St. John's Way, Reedsport.

#### **21** Wednesday

■ Reedsport VFW — 7 p.m., senior center, 460 Winchester Ave.; regular meeting.

#### **22** Thursday

■ Thanksgiving dinner — noon, Lower Umpqua Senior Center, 460 Winchester Ave. Donations accepted.

#### **27** Tuesday

- Hospice volunteer training 1-3:30 p.m., Family Resource Center, 5 St. John's Way, Reedsport.
- Rescheduled: "50th Anniversary of 1962 Columbus Day Storm" presentation — 3 p.m., Umpqua Discovery Center, 409 Riverfront Way Reedsport. Adults \$2.50, Children 6-15 \$1, UDC members free. Limited seating

### Weekly events

#### **Mondays**

- Overeaters Anonymous 4-5 p.m., United Presbyterian Church, 2360 Longwood Drive.
- Take Off Pounds Sensibly 5:30 p.m., Foursquare Church, 2900 Frontage Road.
- Entertainment Night 6:30 p.m., Covenant United Methodist Church, 3520 Frontage Road.
- Bingo 6 p.m., Winchester Bay Community Center, 635 Broadway Ave.

#### **Tuesdays**

- SAFE Drug/alcohol recovery support group 6:30 a.m., Highlands Baptist Church, 2500 Longwood Drive.
- Instructor available at the Computer Learning Center 9 a.m., Covenant United Methodist Church, 3520 Frontage Road, Reedsport.
- Al-Anon meeting 10 a.m., United Presbyterian Church, 2360 Longwood Drive.
- Bingo 6 p.m., Eagles, 510 Greenwood Ave.
- Coast Toasties Toastmasters Club 7:15 p.m., Reedsport Branch Library, 395 Winchester Ave.

#### **Wednesdays**

- Preschool Story Time 11 a.m., Reedsport Branch Library, 395 Winchester Ave.
- Soup's On noon, Covenant United Methodist Church, 3520 Frontage Road, Reedsport. Free lunch open to the public.
- Bingo 1-3 p.m., Lower Umpqua Senior Center, 460 Winchester Ave.

#### **Thursdays**

- Rotary noon, The Club, 1 Country Club Drive. ■ Bingo 6:30 p.m., Lakeside Lions Hall, 890
- Bowron Road. Doors open at 5 p.m.

#### **Fridays**

■ AA women's meeting 10-11 a.m., United Presbyterian Church, 2360 Longwood Drive. Use High Street entrance. For information, call 541-

#### 4-DAY SCHOOL CALENDAR

NOVEMBER School closed						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	Veteran's 12 Day (Nov. 11)	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	Thanksgiving <b>22</b>	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

#### Fly like an eagle

Wait, make that DINE like an Eagle. (Apologies to that 70s band) Those hard working Eagles are always cooking up something marvelous, and the steak dinners are legendary. Find out what the fuss is all about this Saturday night at the lodge. It's steak dinner plus a dessert auction. If you've never been there for the auction you really should go. The tables are loaded with every kind of treat you can imagine and it all comes from the kitchens of Eagle members. There are some amazing cakes, pies, cookies, brownies.... and it's all made from the great baker's own recipes. The bidding can be pretty competitive in the best way, and don't be stingy, you deserve a treat for being such a hard working, dedicated person, don't you? Really, who on earth is a finer person than you are? See, you have it coming. And besides, the money raised from the auction goes to the scholarship fund to benefit a local student So get in there and throw those bills around. You see, it's just wrong not to! Plus, there's something about having a huge array of delish desserts sitting on your table that makes you the most popular person in the room. Prepare to make a lot of friends if you're lucky enough to get an Ethel

Adamo creation. Yum! There's always something going on at the Lodge. On Tuesdays it's bingo, so put on your lucky underwear and load up all those lucky stuffed animals, photos of saints, parking lot pennies...whatever works for you, and settle in for a night of winning. On Wednesdays it's tacos. There's something about an

#### WHAT'S UP AROUND HERE?

WHAT'S UP?

Nancie

Hammond

Eagles taco that you just can't get anywhere else. Try it and see if you don't agree. Oh, and there's something big coming on the 24th. Mark your calendar now. A very special guest will perform with a band. This guy has shared the stage with Wayne Newton and Engleburt Humperdink. The kings of Vegas, right here in Rivercity! Start trying on all your sparkly clothes right now and prepare to swoon!

#### Shop like an eagle

Well, with an eagle eye for treasure. The Holiday Bazaar is coming the first weekend of December and

this year is going to be bigger and better than ever before. For ages the bazaar has been run by the Reedsport / Winchester Bay Chamber of Commerce and it's been terrific, but this year it has been handed over to

CDABA. Expect to see even more booths and a lot of new items. Those CDABA folk are the natural choice since they are all artists who know artists who make art for the bazaar. How's that? It isn't too late to get a booth but it's bound to sell out soon. The spots are rented on a first come first served basis, so pick up the phone while you're thinking of it. Call Theresa at: 541-271-4608.

There is already a fun new addition this year for crafters and artists - a Christmas card contest. The card can be made out of anything that speaks to you - paper, fabric, dog hair....whatever sparks your imagination. They will be on display at the bazaar and the public will vote for the best one. The artist receives

a small prize, \$15 for first place, \$10 for second and \$5 for third. The money is small but the gesture grand. After the winner is announced, the artists can donate the card for CDABA to sell. The funds raised by the card sale will go to the Tree of Giving. This would be a fab project to work on over the Thanksgiving weekend with the family. Get the scoop on the rules from Tamara (541)271-2485.

And speaking of CDABA, the fall classes are a huge hit. I took the beginning watercolor class taught by Beebe Slater last Saturday

and it was wonderful. I learned that I have zero talent, but I couldn't care less. It was fun! Beebe is a great teacher, and I learned enough to mix colors and got a lot of tips on how to use different techniques on the paper. The class supplies were part of the fee

and it came with a very good instruction book, paper, colors, mixing tray...basically everything needed to create a masterpiece. Or, in my case to create a lovely mud color and make a mess. A messterpiece.

#### **New business**

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#### What's up with the chamber

We're coming up on the end of the year, and it's been a truly great one. All of our events have been successful and our board is a terrific hard-working team. It's time to look toward 2013 and keeping the momentum going strong. There are some vacancies on the board and if you've ever thought about getting involved this is a good time to do it. Things are positive and we welcome positive people to be a part of it. If you're interested please give me a call at: 541-662-0018 or email me.

GOT NEWS? I'm always interested in quirky stories, brushes with greatness, silly circumstances and events everyone wants to know about. Also, new businesses and new ideas get my attention every time, so don't be shy! Email me at: nanciehammond@charter.net

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# Quit smoking in the new year

REEDSPORT — It's never too early to start thinking about New Year's resolutions, and the missionaries for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints are offering help if quitting smoking is that resolution.

Elders Nathan Cole and John Moua will provide a

free workshop that is designed to help aid those that would like to be free of

Cole said there are no scare tactics, gimmicks or hypnosis, just one on one, non-threatening private meetings in a place of the participants choosing.

While the workshops are run by the missionaries, they are not affiliated with any religion, but include techniques from a 12-step

20-Nov

process used to help kick bad habits.

For information or to set up a free meeting, contact Cole at 541-331-1398.

# Final day for Coast **Guard food drive**

WINCHESTER BAY -Residents have one more day to drop off canned goods to the Station Umpqua River Guardsmen and women.

The third annual Thunderwater 3,000 Canned Food Drive is drawing to a close and less than 500 cans have been donated. Their goal is 3,000. For every can donated, the men and

women must run one mile. The guard has already recorded 2,200 miles.

The cans will be sent to local food pantries for families in need.

Cans be dropped off at the guard station in Winchester Bay or at The Umpqua Post's office, 2741 Frontage Road. The drive ends on Thursday, Nov. 15.

## **TIDES - Umpqua River Entrance**

Wednesday, Nov. 7 - Tuesday, Nov. 13

HIGH TIDE	A.M.		P.M.	
Date	Time	Ft.	Time	Ft.
14-Nov	1:19	6.4	12:40	8.4
15-Nov	2:10	6.5	1:27	8.4
16-Nov	3:02	6.5	2:16	8.1
17-Nov	3:55	6.4	3:08	7.6
18-Nov	4:50	6.3	4:06	7.0
18-Nov	5:47	6.3	5:10	6.2
20-Nov	6:45	6.3	6:23	5.6
LOW TIDE	A.M.		P.M.	
Date	Time	Ft.	Time	Ft.
14-Nov	6:48	2.1	7:45	-1.7
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16-Nov	8:28	2.4	9:23	-1.5
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#### **SENIOR** LUNCH **MENUS**

Thursday, Nov. 15: Homestyle turkey patty with gravy, whipped potatoes with gravy, Italian blend vegetables, cracked wheat bread and molasses cookie.

Friday, Nov. 16: Chicken salad sandwich on whole wheat bread, split pea soup, pineapple slaw and rice pudding.

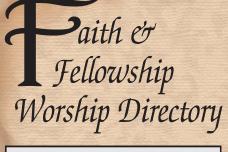
Tuesday, Nov. 20: Roast turkey with gravy with cranberry relish, whipped potatoes with gravy, mixed vegetables, whole wheat roll and pumpkin custard with whipped topping Thursday, Nov. 22:

**CLOSED FOR THANKS-GIVING** Friday, Nov. 23: CLOSED

FOR THANKSGIVING

Tuesday, Nov. 27: Breaded baked fish with tartar sauce, country trio vegetables, county coleslaw, herb bread and cowboy cookies.

Thursday, Nov. 29: Meatloaf with brown gravy, whipped potatoes with gravy, Oregon bean medley, multigrain bread and frosted marble cake.



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....7:30 pm Wednesday Night Choir..... **Pastor Dr. William Stevens** 541-271-3214 church of fice @reed sport pres.org

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#### Free Thanksgiving dinner at senior center Christmas

REEDSPORT – There will be a free Thanksgiving dinner offered at the Lower Umpqua Senior Center again this year. Lower Umpqua Ministerial Association will be sponsoring the event and all churches in the area are asked to donate cans of cranberries, Cool Whip, pies, veggie plates and \$40. Don of Don's Diner will be making the stuffing and Leona of Sugar Shack will make the dinner rolls.

At each participating church, there will be sign up sheets available for those interested in volunteering.

The meal will be served at noon and is expected to feed between 120 and 160 people.

For information, call Pastor Jim Ives at 541-271-3771.

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fish fluid with the roe. Any contact would contaminate the eggs and diminish the chance of fertilization.

The eggs from all the females were combined into a white, 5-gallon bucket. After mixing, Jackson divided the eggs into four buckets. Then the males were brought in.

Squeezing toward the back of the male salmon, Jackson released seminal fluid into each bucket. Two squirts from two males.

"This way, all the males get to breed with all the females," she said.

Once the eggs and seminal fluid were mixed together students in charge of counting carefully took a cup full of eggs to measure. The number counted is how the STEP volunteers and ODFW calculate how many eggs are bred.

"It's a tedious yet important process," Jackson said.

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Stubblefield spent two days before the event cooking nearly 15 gallons of meat sauce. All the food served was donated to Christmas in July from the Eagles club.

Dessert was included too, a decorated sheet cake, but also making rounds were some vanilla cupcakes and slices of a German chocolate cake. Those desserts were part of the live auction and bidders were generous to share their spoils.

Other auction items included lots of University of Oregon Ducks and Oregon State Beavers memorabilia. A dominant orange crowd, the Beavers items brought in some higher amounts during the bidding.

Wrapping up the evening, and perhaps, offering the most entertainment was the Chinese auction. Those wishing to bid on an item raised a dollar bill in the air, designated runners ran to the bidders snatching the one's. Whichever dollar bill was grabbed last when time ran out, earned the item.

Christmas in July is an organization that helps elderly and community members in need with home repairs such as wheel chair ramps, minor home repairs, weeding and gardening and a variety of other projects. CIJ is also at the ready to help with emergencies that occur during the winter months.

#### Nehl

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ran track in high school, Wells said.

"I think a military life would have really fit his demeanor and personality," Wells said. "He was very disciplined. He wasn't a rowdy teenager. He seemed happy with himself and his direction in life."

Other teachers also remembered Nehl as a driven student.

"He was a well-liked, respectful, focused young man," said Nehl's former teacher, Reedsport Mayor

Keith Tymchuck. "He was the kind of student you wished you had more of."

Nehl was assigned to the Second Battalion, 16th Infantry Regiment, Fourth Brigade Combat Team, First Infantry Division out of Fort Riley, Kan.

The Defense Department has confirmed 2,024 American casualties in Operation Enduring Freedom in Afghanistan.

Reporter Jessie Higgins can be reached at 541-269-1222, ext. 240, or jhiggins@theworldlink.com.

#### **Election**

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"I am very pleased the community honored me and trusted me to send me back in to the job. We've got problems and the way they are going to be solved is by going forward not backward."

Councilor Ginger Anderson has already stepped down from her seat on the council because she has relocated out of the area. Councilors Bill Otis and Bill Walker will sit through their last council meeting on Dec.

3, but serve until the end of the month.

"Replacing the councilors we're losing will be challenging, there are definitely big shoes to fill," Tymchuk said. "They were hard working, careful councilors. Generally, the community has chosen wisely in who they wish to replace them with."

Tymchuk, Barth, Murphy and McCollum will be sworn in on Monday, Jan. 7, prior to the regular city council meeting.

#### General election **×** 2012 **×**

#### Reedsport results

#### Mayor

Keith Tymchuk (i) ☑ 65.52% - 1,119Merv Cloe 33.9% - 579

#### City councilor. Position 1

Frank Barth Jr. 🗹 54.64% - 812 Ed O'Carroll 44.28% - 658

#### City councilor, Position 2

DeeDee Murphy 🔽 70.82% - 1,022**Edward Spalione** 27.93% - 403

#### City councilor, **Position 3**

Linda McCollum 🗹 63.87% - 891Charles Wade

SOURCE: Douglas County Election By Jeff Trionfante, The Umpqua Post

#### General election **×** 2012 **×**

#### State measures

Measure 77 Grants governor emergency powers 901,388 No

Measure 78 Changes language describing separation of powers in constitution Yes 🗹 1,101,059

No 431,942

638,513

Measure 79 Prohibits real estate transfer taxes

Yes 🗹 923,754 No 640,497

Measure 80 Allows personal use of marijuana Yes

757,023 No 🗹 877,553

Measure 81 Prohibits non-tribal gillnet fishing Yes 532,191

No 🗹 1,016,536 Measure 82

Allows privately owned casinos Yes 457,351 No 🖳 1,157,789

Measure 84 Phases out inheritance taxes

Yes 733,774 No 🗹 860,550

Measure 85 Allocates kicker refund to schools Yes 🕶

945,637 639,542

By Jeff Trionfante, The Umpqua Post

#### State races

■ U.S. Congress 4th District Peter DeFazio (D) 200,343 Art Robinson (R) 134,527 Chuck Huntting (L) 5,825

■ Coos Bay Democrat Arnie Roblan, defeated Republican Scott Roberts, 56 to 44 percent.

■ In the 9th House District, Coos Bay Democrat Caddy McKeown defeated North Bend Republican Nancy Brouhard, 55 to 43 percent.

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### **American Welding Society Coos Bay Chapter underway at SWOCC**

CONTRIBUTED ARTICLE For The Umpqua Post

A chapter of the American Welding Society is organizing on the Coos Bay Campus. Jessica Carder, a second year welding student said, "Women can excel at this vocation, it requires attention to detail and more and more women are pursuing this

Carder hopes the club will help promote the idea of women in welding by becoming more visible at SWOCC and in the commu-

Brandon Ledsome, also a second year welding student, said the students are organizing themselves to carry out new projects that will help the welding program and the community. Welding materials are very expensive and the cost of certification can be expensive for students who are

already stretching their budgets.

Last year, the students designed and built a trailer and barbecues. The barbecues rival commercially built barbecues that are seen at community fairs and similar functions. They see the club volunteering to make this equipment available to community projects for a donation in return.

Carder and Ledsome said many businesses in the community recognize the value of the welding program at SWOCC and have given materials and supplies to help the program. These companies include: Oregon Tool, Oregon Pacific, Farrs True Value Hardware, Industrial Source, Empire Mercantile, Farwest Tire, Coos Head Forest Products, Gold Coast Truck Repair, Shinglehouse, Bed Rock Cat & Core.

For more information contact: jessicacarder@email.socc.edu or Brandon.ledsome@email.socc.edu

# **Dunes meeting at Riley** Ranch is on Saturday

Dunes supporters are gathering for an afternoon of information and fun on Saturday, Nov. 17 at Riley Ranch OHV Park.

The rally is in response to the U.S. Forest Service proposal to close undesignated user-developed routes.

There are nearly 4,500 acres of dunes designated to manage and protect "vegetated habitats while providing controlled opportunities for off highway vehicles."

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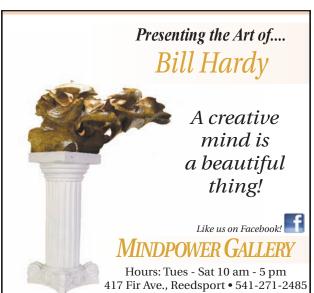
zone are not designated routes and could be closed.

A complete draft plan can be viewed online at http://goo.gl/sflvk.

The Oregon Dunes NRA also will host an open house that day from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The open house will be held in the Florence High School Gymnasium located at 2975 Oak St.

The format will feature stations where attendees can visit with forest staff and view maps and alternatives describing options for designated riding routes.

Specialists involved in developing the draft **Environmental Impact** Statement will be available to answer questions regarding the project.





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#### **REEDSPORT**

LOCAL

■ Nov. 5, 8:32 a.m., burglary, 2200 Longwood Drive, report of theft and damage, under investigation.

■ Nov. 6, 3 p.m., animal bite, 3500 Fernwood Place, report of a dog bite, officer investigating.

■ Nov. 7, 5:07 p.m., domestic disturbance, 1000 block of North Eighth Street, report of a domestic disturbance, officers responded.

Nov. 7, 10:35 p.m., arrest, Reedsport area, male subject arrested on charge of disorderly conduct/harassment/criminal mischief.

■ Nov. 7, 10:35 p.m., arrest, Reedsport area, female subject arrested on charge of disorderly conduct/harassment/criminal mischief. ■ Nov. 8, 12:48 a.m., arrest, Reedsport

area, female subject arrested on charge of disorderly conduct/harassment/criminal mischief.

■ Nov. 9, 7:57 a.m., burglary, 400 block of Fir Avenue, report of burglary, under investigation.

■ Nov. 9, 9:20 a.m., burglary, 2300 block of Longwood Avenue, report of burglary, under investigation.

■ Nov. 9, 11:11 a.m., game violations, 48000 block of U.S. Highway 38, report of elk that has been killed and decapitated.

■ Nov. 11, 11:29 a.m., arrest, Reedsport area, female subject arrested on harassment

■ Nov. 12, 4:44 a.m., animal problems, U.S. Highway 101, milepost 215, report of a dead baby bear blocking the northbound

#### **WINCHESTER BAY**

■ Nov. 10, 3:59 p.m., motor vehicle accident, U.S. Highway 101 and Lighthouse Road, two vehicle accident, no injury.

■ Nov. 11, 8:05 a.m., motor vehicle collision, U.S. Highway 101 and Eighth Street, report of vehicle off the road.

■ Nov. 11, 10:36 p.m., burglary, 75000 block of U.S. Highway 101, person reports someone stole their Bible and \$500.

#### **GARDINER**

■ Nov. 8, 3:20 a.m., domestic problem, 77000 block of U.S. Highway 101, report of domestic disturbance.

■ Nov. 8, 3:08 a.m., harassment, 77000 block of U.S. Highway 101, report of harass-

■ Nov. 10, 9:04 a.m., criminal mischief, 77000 block of U.S. Highway 101, person reports damage to his front window.



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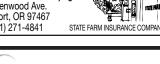
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A regular meeting of the Board of Directors of Central Lincoln PUE will be held on Tuesday Novembe 20th at 10:00 a.m. at the Newpor office located at 2129 N. Coas lwy .The Board will discuss the fi nancial condition from the Board's Governance Policy; discuss Single Source SQ-03-13 for ten SEI Relays and associated equip nent; have a presentation from Mr. Kenneth Kuhn's on the annua audit report; have a presentation from Mr. Bruce Mitten from Mil iman on the Employee Pension and Trust Plan and meet with Ore on House candidate, Mr. David Somberg; and a discussion will be neld with the board attorney con cerning the hiring criteria for new General Manager. The Boar will discuss other business as arises after publication of this no

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#### **101-PUBLIC NOTICES**

#### ORDINANCE NO. 03-2012

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING GARDINER SANITARY DISTRICT ORDINANCE NO. 97-2 ADOPTED 4-23-1997, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 03-2012, AMENDING USER FEES FOR CHANGE OF USE BY CUSTOMER CATEGORY

WHEREAS, in order to protect the waters within and adjacent to the Gardiner Sanitary District (District) from pollution and to promote the health, safety, and welfare of the residents of the District, a sewerage system has been developed to be operated by the District for collection, treatment, and disposal of wastewater tributary to such a system; and

WHEREAS, in order to carry out its authorized function of sewerage collection and disposal, it is necessary and in the public interest that the district establish a schedule of rates for sewerage service in amounts sufficient to pay the expenses of operating and maintaining such facilities, to provide for debt service, and to provide reserves for capital replacement; and

WHEREAS; Ordinance No. 03-2012 requires the Board to periodically review and adjust the fees to insure that all use fees and are consistent with the actual costs of operations, maintenance, replacement, and financing of the treatment facilities and to maintain the acceptability of the user fees with respect to proportional distribution of the costs of operation and maintenance in proportion to each user's contribution to the total wastewater loading of the treatment works; and

WHEREAS, THE District contracted a periodic user rate review with West Yost Associates Consulting Engineers in August 20, 2009 to determine inflated costs of operations, maintenance, equipment replacement, and financing of the District's wastewater collection and treatment systems to maintain the acceptability of the user fees with respect to proportional distribution of the costs of operation and maintenance in proportion to each user's contribution to the total wastewater loading of the system in its entirety; and

WHEREAS, the District has entered into an agreement with the City of Reedsport (hereinafter City) for the treatment of sewerage and the Environmental Protection Agency has provided grant money for construction of sewage treatment facilities in which City has agreed that the costs of operating and maintaining the sewage treatment works shall be distributed among all users of such treatment works in proportion to each user's contribution to the total wastewater loading of that sewerage system:

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USER CLASS	EQUIVALENT (EDU0	UNIT	
Museum & Visitor Center	1.0	Per establishment	
Office & Small Business (1-5 employees)	1.0	Per establishment	
Office & Business (6-10 employees)	2.0	Per establishment	
Office & Business	Open Class		
Open Class	As determined by Dist	rict Engineer, not less that2.	
RV Parks (Transitory)	0.25	Per Space	
School(Commercial Property)	2.25	Per establishment	
Service Stations(Gasoline only)	1.5	Per establishment	
Single Family Residence	1.0	Per home	
Theater	0.02	Per Seat	
Trailer Parks - Permanent	0.06	Per unit	
Union Halls	2.0	Per establishment	

Section 8. The user charge shall be calculated by multiplying the total number of EDUs for each user by a constant cost factor until such time as it is revised as provided in Article III.

To share scores and stories, call 541-269-1222, ext. 241; or send e-mail to jgunther@theworldlink.com







Reedsport's volleyball team poses with its trophy at the state tournament on Saturday. The Braves finished third for the second straight year.

# Braves place third at state tourney

THE UMPQUA POST

Reedsport senior Taylor Lewis was the Braves' only setter for the volleyball team during the state tournament seasons in 2010 and 2011.

But when Lewis had an illness earlier this season, the Braves were forced to find another option, and coach James Hixenbaugh called on his daughter, sophomore Kaylynn, to fill in.

That move proved fortuitous for the Braves at the Class 2A state tournament over the weekend.

Lewis went down with a wrist injury during the fifth game of the team's opening match against Weston-McEwen, and Kaylynn Hixenbaugh was called into duty as setter the rest of the tournament.

The Braves held on to beat the TigerScots, 25-14, 25-21, 23-25, 16-25, 15-13 in the quarterfinals.

Monica Vaughn had 21 kills, 14 digs and two aces, Gabby White had 11 kills and four blocks and Lewis had 41

Reedsport's dreams of a state title ended in the semifinals for the third straight year, when Days Creek topped Reedsport in four games Friday night, 18-25, 25-18, 25-23, 25-20. Hixenbaugh

had 26 assists as she stepped in at setter, Vaughn had 13 kills, Kayla Doane had nine kills and four blocks and Madi Richardson tallied 10 digs.

But the Braves bounced back Saturday afternoon to top Heppner in the third-place match, 25-22, 17-25,

It was the second straight year that Reedsport placed third, the best finish in school history.

Vaughn, a senior outside hitter, was named to the all-tournament first team, while junior middle hitter White was a second-team selection.

"I thought we played really well and with a lot of heart, that last game against Heppner especially," Vaughn

In the third-place match, the Braves bounced back after the rough second

"We just kept going strong and working hard for every point," Vaughn said. "Everyone was getting excited and cheering, and it was so awesome just coming back like that after our loss against Days Creek because we could have easily given up."

Instead, the Braves ended up earning another state trophy.

"It was really cool to end our season

like that and end my senior year that way, too," she said.

Vaughn also was on the first team last year, when the Braves lost to Portland Christian in the semifinals and beat Heppner in the third-place match. Lewis was on the second team last year.

Eden Huebner, who graduated last spring, was on the first team both last fall and in 2010, when Reedsport finished fifth.

Reedsport finished the season with a 22-7 record overall and won its third straight Sunset Conference champi-

The team's only losses to Class 2A schools were a 2-1 setback to Culver during a tournament at McKenzie and the loss to Days Creek in the semifinals Friday. The Braves beat Days Creek during a preseason tournament at

Three of the other losses came to Creswell, which finished fourth in the Class 3A tournament, and two others were to teams that finished third in their tournaments (Marshfield in Class 5A and Blanchet Catholic in Class 3A).

The only loss to a team that didn't place in its state tournament was a defeat to Class 4A Siuslaw in the season-opening Reedsport Invitational.

# **Practice starts for** winter sports

THE UMPQUA POST

The fall sports season has just ended, at least for the volleyball players, but practice for the winter sports started this week at Reedsport Community Charter School.

And it's only two weeks before Reedsport opens the basketball season with a Sunset Conference doubleheader against Coquille, the defending league champion for both boys and girls.

The Braves and Red Devils meet on Nov. 28 at Reedsport, with the girls game at 6 p.m., followed by the boys about 7:30 p.m.

Both Reedsport head coaches return, with Kent

Kristensen leading the boys and Stu Richardson coaching the girls.

The Coquille game is Reedsport's only Sunset Conference action before January. But the highlights of the first month of the season include the annual Dune Country Classic on Dec. 21 and 22.

Reedsport's wrestling team, meanwhile, will begin its season on Dec. 1 at the Glide Invitational.

The Braves will be coached this year by Philip Lopez, who returns to the school after two years away from the team.

Lopez also is planning to start a junior high team.

#### Winter sports schedules

#### Basketball

BOYS Nov. 28 Coquille, 7:30 p.m. Nov. 30 @ Waldport Tournament, TBA Dec. 1 @ Waldport Tournament, TBA Dec. 4 Rogue River, 7:30 p.m. Dec. 7 @ Mapleton Dec. 13 Mapleton, 7:30 p.m. Dec. 18 @ Oakridge, 7:30 p.m. Dec. 21 Dune Country Classic Dec. 22 Dune Country Classic Jan. 4 @ Gold Beach, 7:30 p.m. Jan. 11 @ Myrtle Point, 7:30 p.m. Jan. 15 Gold Beach, 7:30 p.m. Jan. 18 @ Bandon, 7:30 p.m. Jan. 22 @ Glide, 7:30 p.m. Jan. 25 Myrtle Point, 7:30 p.m. Jan. 29 @ Coquille, 7:30 p.m. Feb. 1 @ Gold Beach, 7:30 p.m. Feb. 5 Bandon, 7:30 p.m. Feb. 8 Glide, 7:30 p.m. Feb. 12 @ Myrtle Point, 7:30 p.m.

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Tenmile Creek above the

Lakeside and have a chance

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Wrestling

Dec. 1 @ Glide Invitational Dec. 21 @ Bay City Duals Dec. 22 @ Bay City Duals Dec. 27 @ Roseburg Invitational Dec. 29 @ Myrtle Point Invitational Jan. 5 @ Sheldon Invitational Jan. 9 @ Crow Jan. 12 Reedsport Invitational Jan. 16 @ Tringle Lake Jan. 18 @ Oregon Classic Jan. 19 @ Oregon Classic Jan. 23 @ Oakland Jan. 30 @ Riddle Feb. 2 @ Cottage Grove

# Crabbers still getting limits in Winchester Bay

Crabbing at Winchester Bay remains good. It seems that female and undersized crab are becoming an everbigger nuisance, but crabbers willing to put in their time are getting limits of legal crab. Of course, boat crabbers have it easier than the dockbound crabbers and last week, it seems that the crab even moved upriver somewhat, as some good catches were made more than a half-mile upriver from the entrance to Winchester Bay's East Boat

Basin. It seems that the very best dock crabbing is occurring before daybreak and after dark, but those willing to put in their time are catching some crabs all day long — but those catching limits are definitely earning

Salmon fishing pressure

on the lower Umpqua River has almost stopped. However, the very few anglers still trying for salmon are catching some. Local angler Tom Crittenton weighed in a nearly 16-pound Chinook taken on a spinner near the mouth of Winchester Creek last Saturday and a few salmon are still being hooked at Half Moon Bay and Osprey Point when anglers are fishing it. The salmon fishing pressure is so low, that one is forced to wonder if the catch per angler has dropped all that

much. On the ODFW website, the publishing of the catch rate of wild coho on Oregon coastal rivers was delayed, but statistics for most of the wild coho rivers for the week ending Nov. 4 are now on the site - and the catch (not

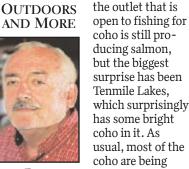
the catch rates) statistics are rather humble. The statistics for the Coos and Coquille rivers are still pending and the Alsea River is closed to the taking of

wild coho, but there were ZERO wild coho retained on the Nehalem River and Tillamook Bay, one retained coho reported on the Nestucca and Siletz rivers. The Yaquina had six wild coho reported taken, the Umpqua has 16 and the Siuslaw, which amazingly is still open for wild coho, had 31 retained wild

Last week, coho salmon were reported caught from all three lakes that allow coho salmon fishing. The

hottest bite was on Tahkenitch Lake, where it was easy to find the coho at the upper ends of Five Mile

and Mallard arms. Siltcoos Lake and the upper portion of



Pete

has some bright coho in it. As usual, most of the coho are being caught by bass Heley anglers fishing spinnerbaits and crankbaits and although this happens every season, the salmon are too

dark to keep when they

finally get into the lake.

Bank anglers on Tenmile can

Fishing pressure on the South Jetty and Triangle the outlet that is areas at Winchester Bay is open to fishing for increasing and bottomfish coho is still proangling has been good. ducing salmon, Almost all the warmwabut the biggest ter fishing pressure in our surprise has been area has been directed Tenmile Lakes.

towards yellow perch. Trout anglers should consider stillfishing with bait as the water cools down and the trout become less active. The best fishing is in the area's larger lakes that hold native, searun and carryover trout.

I hear a lot of griping about the ODFW and while I seldom directly contradict the whiners, I often wonder how much griping they would do if they lived in

California. In the last few years, for what appears to be a very small financial donation to the California Department of Fish and Game, the United States Humane Society has managed to have a lot to say about hunting and fishing in California. Additionally, SB1221, recently signed into law in California makes it illegal to use dogs to hunt or even chase bear or bobcats. The bill also gives the California Department of Fish and Game broad powers when it comes to establishing hound hunting requirements that could ultimately make it necessary for onerous documentation for hounds to the point where a microchip may be required. This is not to say that these things will come to pass, just that they are possible under

#### **BOWLING**

Tuesday Grand Swiss League (Oct. 30) Team High Scratch Game: Davison Auto Parts 832, Reedsport Lanes 750. Team High Hdcp Game: Red Birds 954, Pacific West Realty 890. Team High Scratch Series: Back to the Best 2403, Discovery Point 2283. Team High Hdcp Series: Sugar Shack 2695, Signs Unlimited 2572. Individual High Scratch Game: Ray S. 272, Chet C. 256. Individual High Hdcp Game: Ron S. 272, Berrel V. 253. Individual Scratch Series: Shane P. 731, Tom H. 679. Individual High Hdcp Series: LaDonna P. 794, Machelle D. 725. High Individual Points: Dan R. 29, Bonnie T. 26, Tom H. 25. 2nd Qtr Standings: Davison Auto Parts 17, Sugar Shack 17, Discovery Point 15, Red Birds 14, Signs Unlimited 14, Fast & Furious 13.5, Pacific West Realty 9.5, Reedsport Lanes 9, Discount Auto 9, Wagon Wheel Grocery 8, Back to the Best 6, Mast Bros 6.

Wednesday Scratch Duo (Oct. 31)

Team High Game: Flower Power 461, D&L 461, M&T 441. Team High Series: D&L 1285, M&T 1267, Flower Power 1212. Individual High Game: Tom F. 267, Larry H. 248-238, Debby H. 213-199, Margie F. 206. Individual High Series: Tom F. 705, Larry H. 698, Mike C. 643, Debby H. 587, Margie F. 527, Bonnie T. 516. 2nd Qtr Team Standings: D&L 11, M&T 10, Thompson Duo 5, Flower Power 5, First Noel 5, Rick's Rowdies 3.

Umpqua League (Nov. 5)

Team standings: Fryer Rock #1 24 12, Wells Creek # 1 20 16, Wells Creek #2 18 18. High team game scratch: Fryer Rock #2 361, Wells Creek #1 344, Fryer Rock #1 334, Team high series scratch: Fryer Rock #2 973, Fryer Rock #1 929, Usuns 924. Team high game handicap: Wells Creek #1 451, Fryer Rock #2 439, Wells Creek #2 431. Team high series handicap: Wells Creek #1 1219, Fryer Rock #2 1207, Usuns 1206. Individual high game scratch: Bonnie 202, Jacky 191, Tie Luci &

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Kathy 183. Individual high series scratch: Pum 503, Kathy 490, Margie 484. Individual high game handicap: Bonnie 246, Luci 240, Jacky 238. Individual high series handicap: Luci 646, Pum 617, Tie Bonnie & Jacky 615. Splits picked up: Caryn 3-10, Claudette 3-10, 3-10, Luci & B J 5-6, Jacky 2-7.

Gutter Gussies (Nov. 6)

Team Standing: Winchester Bay Market 26.5-13.5, Ocean Pacific 26-14, Pin Pals 23-17, Ocean Garden 21-19, Riversdie Auto Recycling 20.5-19.5, Oregon Hat Company 19-21, Reedsport Lanes 19-21. High Game Team: Ocean Pacific 2531. High Series Team: Ocean Pacific 1781. Individual High Game: Ruth 242, Pat 181, Kathy M. 170. Individual High Series: Ruth 644, Pat 496, Kathy W. 461. Splits Picked Up: Denise 5-10, CJ 5-10, Corinne 4-5.

Wednesday Seniors (Nov. 7) High series: Virg 508, Harold 504, Ron

492, Jean 490, Ervin 488, Barb 485, B.J. 483, Jay 461, Sharon 401. High games: Jay 195, Jean 193-156, Harold 192-162, Virgil 191-178, Ervin 187-173, John 186, Barb 182-158, Ron 181-166, B.J. 170-158-155, Sharon 152. High doubles partners: Virg & Jay 438, Ervin & Jean 428-405, B.J. & Ron 423, Sharon & Pauline 404-389. Splits picked up: Virg 3-10, Jay 3-10, Sharon 9-10, Ervin

the new bill.

Brunch Bunch League Bowling News

Leading Team: Sugar Shack 25.5. High Team Game: Ocean Pacific 694. High Team Series: Ocean Pacific 1899. High Ind. Game: Pum Lippner 244. High Ind. Series: Ruth Flowers 619. Other Highlights: Pat E. 215 game, 545 series; Pum L. 583 series; Ruth F. 223 game x2; Jean H. 204 clean game; LaDonna P. 202 game, 544 series. Splis Converted: Corinne K. 5-7, LaDonna P. 5-7, Marge H. 3-9-10 & 3-10, Anny H. 3-10x2, Shirley L. 5-6, & Jacky L. 2-7.



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